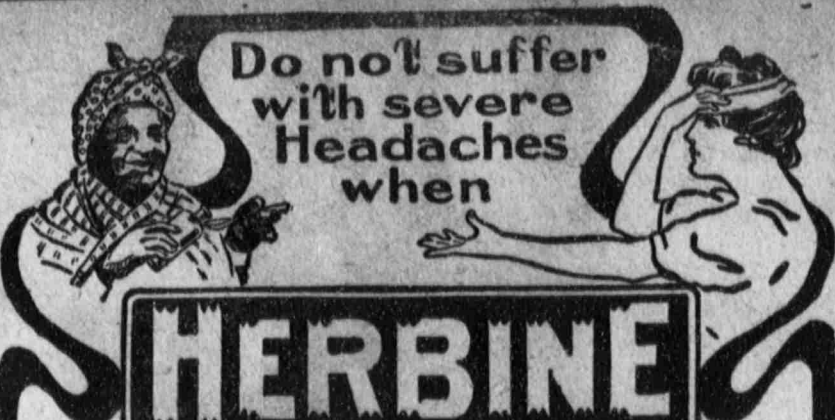


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Notice of Election.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of 1907, under the Constitution of 1885, of the State of Florida, did pass three Joint Resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Florida, and the same were agreed to by a vote of three-fifths of all the members elected to each house; that the votes on said Joint Resolutions were entered upon their respective Journals, with yeas and nays thereon, and they did determine and direct that the said Joint Resolutions be submitted to the electors of the State at the General Election in November, 1908.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, H. CLAY CRAWFORD, Secretary of State of the State of Florida, do hereby give notice that a

General Election

will be held in each county, in Florida on Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, A. D. 1908, the said Tuesday being the

Third Day of November

for the ratification or rejection of the said Joint Resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Florida, viz:

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section Nine (9) of Article Five (5) of the Constitution of Florida relating to judicial salaries.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That Section Nine (9) of Article Five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Florida be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, viz:

Section Nine (9). The salaries of Justices of the Supreme Court, Circuit Judges and Judges of Criminal Courts of Record shall be fixed by the Legislature.

That the foregoing amendment of Section Nine (9) of Article Five (5) of the Constitution of Florida is hereby agreed to, and the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State for approval or rejection at the next general election of Representatives hereafter, as required by Section One (1) of Article Seventeen (17) of said Constitution.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article Twelve of the Constitution of the State of Florida relative to education, to be known as Section Sixteen of said Article, providing for the levy of a special tax for the support and maintenance of the University of the State of Florida, the Florida Female College, the Institute for the Blind, Deaf and Dumb, and the Colored Normal School.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That the following amendment to Article Twelve of the Constitution of the State of Florida, to be known as Section 16 of said Article, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State at the next general election of Representatives, to be held in the year 1908, for ratification or rejection.

Sec. 16. A special tax of one mill on the dollar of all taxable property in the State shall be levied annually for the support and maintenance of the University of the State of Florida, the Florida Female College, the Institute for the Blind, Deaf and Dumb and the Colored Normal School, which shall be paid in to the State Treasurer and set apart by him to the credit of the State Board of Education, to be apportioned and disposed of for the benefit of said institutions as required by the act creating and maintaining the same.

known as Chapter 5364, of the Laws of Florida, approved June 5, 1905.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section Thirty-five of Article Five of the Constitution of Florida, relating to establishments of Courts.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That the following amendment to Section Thirty-five of Article Five of the Constitution of Florida is hereby agreed to and shall be proposed and submitted to the electors of the State for approval or rejection at the next general election hereafter, that is to say, said Section Thirty-five of said Article shall be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 35. No Courts other than herein specified shall be established in this State, except that the Legislature may provide for the creation and establishment of such additional judicial circuits as may from time to time become necessary, and for the appointment by the Governor and confirmation by the Senate of additional circuit judges therefor, whose terms of office and general jurisdiction shall be the same as is herein provided for the circuit judges herein already provided for, and may clothe any Railroad Commission with judicial powers in all matters connected with the functions of their office.

The votes cast in compliance with said proposed amendments, and the canvass, declarations and returns thereof, shall be subjected to the same regulations and restrictions as are provided by law for general elections in the State of Florida.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capital, this twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1908.

H. CLAY CRAWFORD,
Secretary of State.

In the Circuit Court, DeSoto County, Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Van Dillon Carlton
vs.
A. J. McLendon

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Take notice that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of said County of DeSoto, in the above entitled cause, on this 23rd day of July, 1908, I have levied upon the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eighteen, township thirty-nine, south of range twenty-four east, and also the south half of blocks four and five, subdivision of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eighteen, township thirty-nine south of range twenty-four east, also all fractional blocks one, five and six, of Railroad survey of the town of Ft. Ogden, and will offer the same for sale in front of the Court House, in the City of Arcadia, said County and State, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1908, the same being the legal hours of sale on said date, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

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Sheriff DeSoto County, Florida.

LEITNER & LEITNER,
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Notice is hereby given that six months after the date hereof the undersigned will make his final report to the County Judge of DeSoto County, Florida, at his office in the court house at Arcadia, and then there make application to said judge for the final discharge of the undersigned as administrator of the estate of William R. Spencer, deceased. JOHN W. SPENCER, Administrator.
This May 14, 1908.
FORRESTER & BURTON,
Attys. for Administrator.

Notice
Of Application for Tax Deed under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.
Notice is hereby given that C. W. White purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 18, dated the 2nd day of July A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in DeSoto County, Florida, to-wit: E 1/4 lots 1 and 2 Block K in A. W. Gilchrist's sub division in SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec 35 Tp 27 S R 24 E in Arcadia, Florida. This said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law tax deed will issue thereon on the 14th day of August A. D. 1908.
Witness my official signature and seal this the 14th day of July A. D. 1908.
(SEAL) R. E. CARLTON,
Clerk Circuit Court DeSoto County, Florida
By CLAUD L. CARLTON, D. C.

Notice for Publication
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Florida, July 18, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that James M. Sterling, of Gardner, Florida, who, on May 10, 1907, made Homestead Entry, No. 37668, (Serial Number 583) for NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 23, Township 36 South, Range 25 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Arcadia, Florida, on the 29th day of August, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: S. L. Swindall, of Brownville, Florida; A. A. Ellis, of Brownville, Florida; J. L. Kinard, of Gardner, Florida; David Earnest, of Gardner, Florida.
HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

In the DeSoto County Circuit Court, Sixth Circuit of Florida, in Chancery.
The Arcadia Mercantile Company, a corporation of Florida.
vs.
E. P. Brannan and F. M. Brannan.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Take notice, that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of said County of DeSoto, in the above entitled cause, on the 20th day of July, 1908, I have levied upon the southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, less five acres in the Southwest corner, conveyed to J. M. Alderman and the East half of the Southwest quarter, and the West half of the Southeast quarter, all in Section twelve, township thirty-eight, south of range twenty-four east; and will offer the same for sale in front of the west door of the Court House in the City of Arcadia, said County and State, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1908, the same being the first Monday in said month, between the legal hours of sale on said date, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

Levied upon as the property of E. P. Brannan and F. M. Brannan.

Sheriff DeSoto County, Florida.

LEITNER & LEITNER,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice.

In the County Judge's Court in and for DeSoto County, State of Florida.

The Arcadia Mercantile Company, a corporation of Florida.

vs.

Ely P. Brannan.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Take notice, that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the County Judge's Court in and for the County of DeSoto, State of Florida, in the above entitled cause, on July 20, 1908, I have levied upon the southeast quarter, less five acres in the Southwest corner, conveyed to J. M. Alderman, and the East half of the Southwest quarter, less ten acres, conveyed to V. M. Brannan across the north side of the northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter, and the West half of the Southeast quarter; all in section twelve, township thirty-eight, north of range twenty-four east; and will offer the same for sale in front of the West door of the Court House, in the City of Arcadia, said County and State, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1908, the same being the first Monday in said month, between the legal hours of sale on said date, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

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A. C. FREEMAN,
Sheriff of DeSoto County.

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